

FIG. 1

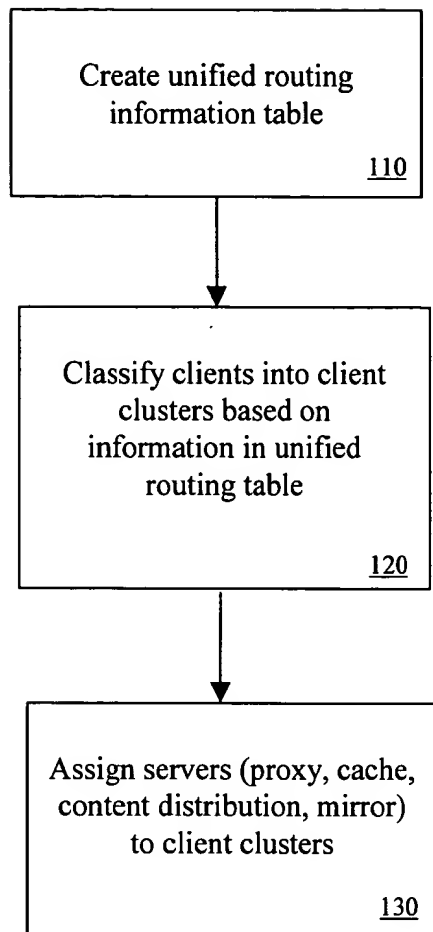


FIG. 2

Diagram illustrating a network topology with three groups of nodes (170, 180, 190) and their connections to a central node 160.

Group	Node	AS path
170	134.87.2.0/24	BCnet
180	134.117.0.0	Carleton University
	137.82.0.0	University of British Columbia
190	137.122.0.0	University of Ottawa
	134.117.0.0	Carleton University

Connections from node 160 to the nodes in group 190 are indicated by arrows.

FIG. 3

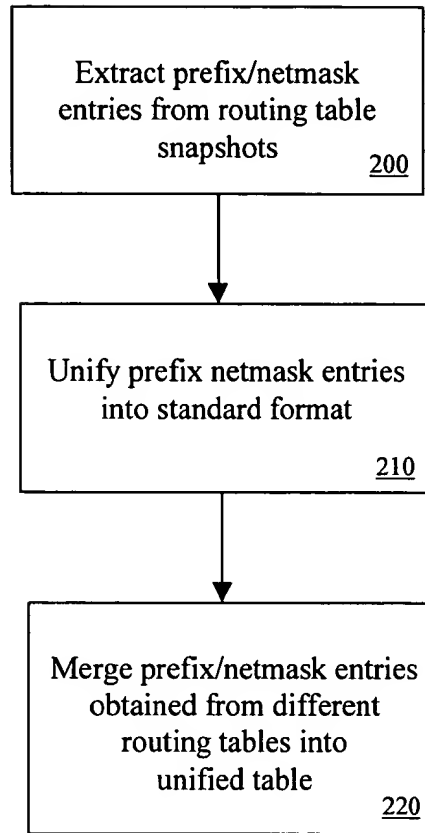


FIG. 4

	230	240	250
Formats	x1.x2.x3.x4/k1.k2.k3.k4	x1.x2.x3.x4/1	x1.x2.x3.0
Routing Tables	MAE-EAST MAE-WEST PACBELL PAIX	ARIN AT&T CANET NLNLR VBNS	CANET
Examples	193.1/255.255 193.0.128/255.255.192	128.148.0.0/16	130.15.0.0
Unification	193.1/255.255 193.0.128/255.255.192	128.148.0.0/255.255	130.15.0.0/255.255 192.75.72/255.255.255

FIG. 5

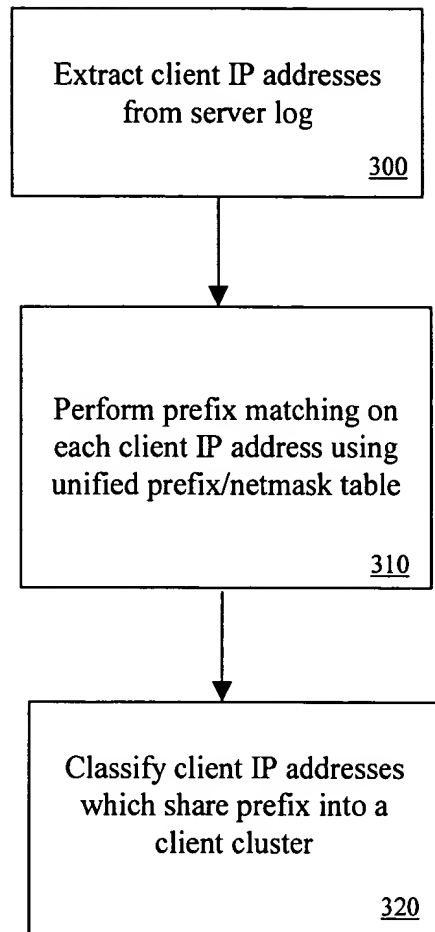


FIG. 6